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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am writing to support Bridge 2 Broadband so that local internet companies can continue to provide competitive services rather than have internet service dominated by a few national providers. We chose a local internet provider after having less than positive experiences with the major providers. Competition means better service, more local and responsive providers, and lower costs. Broadband is an important service for schools and businesses and people like me. I believe derugulation will reduce competition and increase prices.

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